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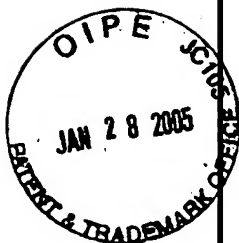
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| | Filing Date | 07/01/2003 | |
| | First Named Inventor | Iannacone, Charles | |
| | Art Unit | 3723 | |
| | Examiner Name | Smith, James G. | |
| Total Number of Pages in This Submission | | Attorney Docket Number | IANN-0846 |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 | | Application Number | 10/612,256 |
| | | Filing Date | 07/01/2003 |
| | | First Named Inventor | Iannacone Jr. |
| | | Examiner Name | Smith, James G. |
| | | Art Unit | 3723 |
| TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) \$0.00 | | Attorney Docket No. | IANN-0846 |

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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

| Application Type | FILING FEES | | SEARCH FEES | | EXAMINATION FEES | | Fees Paid(\$) |
|------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | |
| Utility | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 200 | 100 | |
| Design | 200 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 130 | 65 | |
| Plant | 200 | 100 | 300 | 150 | 160 | 80 | |
| Reissue | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 600 | 300 | |
| Provisional | 200 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

| Fee Description | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) |
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| Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) | 50 | 25 |
| Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) | 200 | 100 |
| Multiple dependent claims | 360 | 180 |

| Total Claims | Extra Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) |
|--------------|--------------|-----------|---------------|
| 28 | - 20 or HP = | x \$50.00 | = \$0.00 |

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

| Indep. Claims | Extra Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) |
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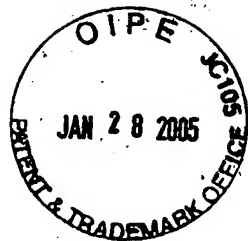
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Docket No. IANN-0846

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AMENDMENT

Applicant: Charles P. Iannacone Jr. Docket No. IANN-0846
Serial No.: 10/612,256 Group Art Unit: 3723
Filed: 07/01/2003 Examiner: Smith, James G.
Title: CARPET TUCKER AND TRIMMER

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
DATED NOVEMBER 1, 2004**

Mail Stop Amendment
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ON: January 25, 2005

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Heather Clark

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.